

continued viability of the United States air transportation system; and on the financial condition of the airline industry in the aftermath of the events which occurred on September 11, 2001. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2001

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### Senate

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Transportation, to hold joint hearings with the House

Appropriations' Subcommittee on Transportation to examine aviation security issues, 2 p.m., SD-106.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* to hold hearings to examine the condition of the financial markets, 10 a.m., SH-216.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* business meeting to consider the nomination of Marion Blakey, of Mississippi, to be a Member and Chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board; the nomination of Joseph M. Clapp, of North Carolina, to be Administrator of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, Department of Transportation; and the nomination of Read Van de Water, of North Carolina, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation; to be followed by hearings to examine federal aviation security standards, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the financial state of the transportation industry, 2 p.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Governmental Affairs:* Subcommittee on International Security, Proliferation and Federal Services, to hold hearings to examine the annual report of the Postmaster General and the impact of terrorist attacks on postal operations, 10 a.m., SD-342.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* to hold hearings to examine certain pending nominations, 10:30 a.m., SD-226.

### House

*Committee on Appropriations,* to consider the following: Revised Suballocation of Budget Allocations for Fiscal

Year 2002; the Military Constructions Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2002; and the District of Columbia Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2002, 9:30 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

*Committee on Education and the Workforce,* Subcommittee on the 21st Century, hearing on "Welfare Reform: An Examination of Effects," 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce,* Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality, hearing entitled "National Electricity Policy: Federal Government Perspectives," 2 p.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Government Reform,* hearing on "Preparing for the War on Terrorism," 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources,* Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans, hearing on H.R. 1370, to amend the National Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act of 1966 to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for maintenance and repair of buildings and properties located on lands in the National Wildlife Refuge System by lessees of such facilities, 2 p.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure,* Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management, to mark up the following: H.R. 525, Preparedness Against Domestic Terrorism Act of 2001; GSA Fiscal Year 2002 Capital Investment and Leasing Program—Remaining Prospectuses; and other pending business, 2 p.m., 2253 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, hearing on H.R. 1474, American Wetland Restoration Act, 1 p.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs,* hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2716, Homeless Veterans Assistance Act of 2001; and H.R. 936, Heather French Henry Homeless Veterans Assistance Act, 1:30 p.m., 334 Cannon.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing to review the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Care Collection Fund (MCCF), 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

### Joint Meetings

*Joint Meetings:* Senate Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Transportation, to hold joint hearings with the House Appropriations' Subcommittee on Transportation to examine aviation security issues, 2 p.m., SD-106.